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Docket No.: MERMIS 3.0-004  
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In re Patent Application of:  
*Webber et al.*

Application No.: 10/664,102

Group Art Unit: 2643

Filed: September 17, 2003

Examiner: Suhan Ni

For: EAR MOUNTING ASSEMBLY FOR  
ELECTRONIC COMPONENT

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REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP

SIR:

This Request is filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a) to correct the inventorship in the above-identified patent application.

Please add the following previously unnamed person as co-inventor of this application: Lawrence R. Stotts.

Attached are the following:

(a) A Statement from Lawrence R. Stotts that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his part, 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(2);

(b) A Declaration by each of the actual co-inventors as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.63 (or as permitted by §§ 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47), 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(3); and

(c) A written Assent of the Assignee, 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(5).

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Please charge the fee of \$130.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) and any other fee which may be due in connection with this Request to Deposit Account No. 12-1095. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(2)

I, Lawrence R. Stotts, state:

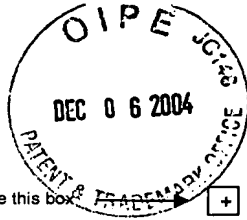
1. I was not originally named in the above-referenced application. I make this Statement in support of a request to correct inventorship pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a) to add me as a co-inventor in the application.

2. I was omitted as a co-inventor in the application through error, and such error occurred without deceptive intention on my part.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. I further state that I have been warned that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under § 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent resulting therefrom. I state that all statements made of my own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

DATED: 12/1/2004

Lawrence R. Stotts  
LAWRENCE R. STOTTS



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<b>DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION (37 CFR 1.63)</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Declaration Submitted with Initial Filing      OR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Declaration Submitted after Initial Filing (surcharge (37 CFR 1.16 (e)) required)	<b>Attorney Docket Number</b>	MERMIS 3.0-004
	<b>First Named Inventor</b>	Meridyth Mischel Webber
	<b>COMPLETE IF KNOWN</b>	
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	<b>Examiner Name</b>	Not Yet Assigned

**As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:**

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

EAR MOUNTING ASSEMBLY FOR ELECTRONIC COMPONENT

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

☐ is attached hereto  
OR

☒ was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) 09/17/2003 as United States Application Number or PCT International Application No. 10/664,102 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or 365 (a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or of any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached?	
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## DECLARATION — Utility or Design Patent Application

POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following registered practitioner(s) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: Customer Number 000530

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A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor

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**CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO ADDITION OF INVENTOR**

Mearrings, Inc., 2 London Court, Teaneck, New Jersey 07666, states that it is the assignee of the above-referenced application by virtue of an Assignment filed on October 13, 2003.

Said Assignee hereby consents to the correction of inventorship filed herewith to add Lawrence R. Stotts as co-inventor.

MEARRINGS, INC.

DATED: March 4, 2004 BY: Meredith M. Webber  
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